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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Stephen D. Pacetti	Examiner: Uyen T. Ho
Serial No. 09/997,390	Art Unit: 3731
Filed: November 30, 2001	
Title: Apparatus And Method For Coating Implantable Devices	

Commissioner for Patents
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Examiner Ho:

This is a response to the office action dated April 4, 2005, which had a shortened statutory period for reply that ended on May 4, 2005. Enclosed is a one month extension of time, extending the period to respond to June 6, 2005.

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